

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Maintenance Worker Helper Seasonal Job Opportunity Boise National Forest



The USDA Forest Service, Boise National Forest anticipates filling 1 to 2 Maintenance Worker Helper positions for up to 6 months. The positions will likely start in mid-May and end in mid-November.

Position Description:

The position will serve as maintenance worker helper primarily focusing on maintenance activities related to facilities including buildings, water systems, and landscapes. Job duties include assisting other workers with repairs to various facilities and grounds. Requirements of the job include utilizing elementary knowledge of different skills and related tools of the trade to assist with repairs to plumbing, drainage systems, roofs, carpentry projects, grounds and street repairs, flooring, painting, and other miscellaneous maintenance tasks. Other duties may include assisting in evaluations and recording of findings at various facilities including buildings, and water systems.

The selected individual will work 5-8 hour (Monday-Friday) or 4-10 hour days (Monday to Thursday) each week depending on the site location and terrain. Approximately 55% of the work will require working in remote locations in all types of weather. Work will occur in various Forest Service compounds that may be very remote. Overnight camping over one to two days may be required in some locations and travel per diem is provided.

Duty Station: The Lowman Ranger Station located in Lowman, Idaho and the Idaho City Ranger station in Idaho City Idaho will be the possible duty stations. Both locations are in very small communities and are within a 2 hour commute of Boise Idaho. Because work sites are often greater than two hours from the duty station overnight stays may occur during the work week.

Housing: Seasonal bunkhouse housing with an approximately 20 mile commute may be available.

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